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## Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 16, line 1 with the following amended paragraph:

Lower bumper portion 2170 includes a tissue contacting surface 2122a and an L-shaped recess 2172 for receiving an L-shaped electrode 2130, as discussed above. L-shaped electrode 2130 includes an electrically conductive surface 2135 that is flush with tissue contacting surface 2122a. Alternatively, <u>an</u> electrically conductive surface 2135<u>a</u> can extend projects from tissue contacting surface 2122a or <u>an electrically conductive surface 2135b</u> is [[be]] recessed in tissue contacting surface 2122a. Electrically conductive surface 2135 has a surface area substantially smaller than tissue contacting surface 2122a.